

**State Board of Education
June 22, 2009
Item I-7**

**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
Montpelier, Vermont**

TEAM: Standards and Assessment

ITEM: Will the State Board of Education vote to endorse of NETS-S 2007, NETS-T 2008, NETS-A 2009 - National Education Technology Standards published by ISTE (International Society for Technology in Education)?

RECOMMENDED ACTION: That the State Board of Education vote to endorse of NETS-S 2007, NETS-T 2008, NETS-A 2009, National Education Technology Standards published By ISTE (International Society for Technology in Education).

STATUTORY AUTHORITY:

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: We are currently working to update our Technology Grade Expectations for Technology. By the SBE endorsing these standards for the State of Vermont, we can set a baseline for how we move forward in interpreting grade level expectations for schools that are grappling with meeting standards in technology for learning. These standards were used for the current iteration of the GE's, but they have been changed since to reflect a broader learning spectrum.

COST IMPLICATIONS: None at this time. This is a published and public resource.

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